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Subject:Sit Rep #122: Freedom Convoy 2022- National Capital Region 2022-01-28 to 2022-02-12

Situation as of 1510 hrs on 2022-02-12

Event Overview:

- **Approximately 500-550 demonstrators** reported to be on **Parliament Hill** at this time.
- **Approximately 1000-1500 demonstrators on Wellington St. and in the downtown core.**
- OPS estimate that there **are 505 trucks in the downtown core.**
- There are approx. 200 vehicles that have been parked by SQ and Gatineau Police at Robert-Guertin arena in Gatineau.
- There are another approx. 250 vehicles coming from Lachute. The SQ and Gatineau Police will try to park this group at Robert-Guertin arena as well, however they have indicated they intend to come to downtown Ottawa
- Gatineau Police have blocked Laurier from Maisonneuve to Montcalm to trucks. Demonstrators are coming across the bridges from Gatineau to Ottawa on foot
- There is a mobile counter-protest underway of approx. 300 demonstrators staying south of the 417 in the Glebe
- There is a static counter-protest at the front of 474 Elgin (OPS police station), approx. 10-20 demonstrators
- Information on possible upcoming demonstrations or convoys:
 - o Feb 13th from 09:00 – convoy planning to depart Jetform Park and make their way to Parliament Hill
 - o Feb 13th from 09:00 – convoy planning to depart Canadian Tire Centre and make their way to Parliament Hill
 - o Feb 13th at 10:00 – 90 Wellington (Terry Fox statue) – family-friendly pancake breakfast courtesy of the PPC party and Maxime Bernier

Operational Information:

- PIU Updates:
 - o Update at 1333 hrs:
 - As of reporting (1333 hrs) there are many people crossing from the Quebec border through Major Hill's Park.

- Truckers starting to block roads, corner Laurier and Laval on the Quebec side, as or writing, they are a large Police presence (SPVG) at the scene. Protestors were denied access at the Staging area near the Portage Bridge.
 - At corner of the Portage and Laurier on Quebec side, truckers have many Jerry cans and propane tanks.
- Update at 1434 hrs:
 - Wellington getting much more presence from protestors.
 - Protestor's vibes are good.
 - Five "PROFANUM" vests on Wellington, in front of East block.
 - The War Memorial Site's barricades have been removed and as of reporting, the Site is getting more attention and people are starting to get on Site. Approx. 200 people now observed on the War Memorial Site.
- FPNS Task Force Updates:
 - Reviewed CIG updates #132, 133 and 134. Concerns noted below.
 - CIG Report #133: CIG Intel received information that PROFANUM motorcycle club member, [Personal Info.], wearing a vest with the 1%, MC patch, 3 pieces patch (bottom, middle and top rocker) and side rocker Outaouais was observed on Parliament Hill on 2022-02-11. [Personal Info.] and another PROFANUM member have identified themselves as bodyguards for [Personal Info.] both wearing a federal agent badge and a bulletproof vest. PROFANUM does not yet seem to be a recognized MC; however, it appears some members have adhered to IMVE. For awareness only as no criminal lead identified for investigative purposes.
 - CIG Report #134: CIG OSINT located a challenge on [s.37] where user [Personal Info.] made a post on 2022-02-12 at 0351 challenging people to steal a Durham Police officer's toque (in Ottawa). Officer safety information forwarded to a point of contact for Durham, whom also receives the CIG Reports.

- CIG OSINT has located a video on Twitter where a trucker called “black buffalo” and a **Personal Info.** are having an argument as he “black buffalo” was asked to move his car. The arguments got heated and “black buffalo” got a crowbar out of his vehicle.
 - **Personal Info.** is seen attempting to defuse the situation. OPS did come to defuse the situation; no arrest was made.
 - **Personal** is possibly wanted on an endorsed warrant from Toronto Police Service (criminal harassment and assault)
 - **For Officer Safety. The vehicle is still close to the stage on PH.**
- **Personal Info.** and **Personal Info.** were observed earlier this afternoon at the War Memorial
- CIG OSINT located a twitter identifying **Personal Info.** at the War Memorial.
- CIG OSINT research has revealed that up to 150 individual protestors have removed the modulo fencing from around the National War Memorial. **Personal Info.** was also present at the site and encouraged those present to engage in the behaviour:

Operational Planning:

- Nil updates at this time.

Protective Clients and Protective Sites:

- Nil updates at this time.

Communications:

- There are 360 news items in media monitoring this morning in relation to the demonstrations, with an additional 288 reporting on the blockade at the Ambassador Bridge. Current coverage is focusing heavily on Windsor Police (and partner) enforcement at that Canada-US border crossing. National news networks are broadcasting live from the area and depicting a few tense periods between police and protesters, and reporting that the crowd of protesters is growing as opposed to dispersing
- Also of note, Ottawa city councilor Catherine McKenney has posted on Twitter calling for the Federal Government to step in, as well as to replace the OPS Chief with a “leader who will apply all necessary measures to end this”.
- Nat Div Communication Services received one media request this morning, via National Communication Services, in regards to an image circulating on Facebook depicting a man, who bears a likeness to the Prime Minister, bloodied and dead in the grill of a truck. The journalist was asking if RCMP were aware of it and/or investigating. Currently awaiting approval on a proposed response. The Facebook post was also flagged to CIG.
